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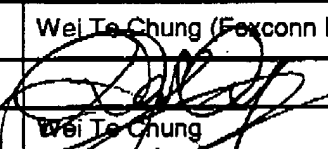
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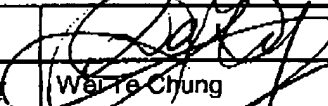
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In the outstanding office action of February 22, 2005, Examiner asserts that the instant application includes three groups: Group One: claims 1-7, Group Two: claims 8-14 and Group Three: claim 15.